

## HUGE EXPENDITURES ARISING OUT OF WAR GIVEN AS REASON OF BRITISH 'SQUANDERMANIA'

LONDON, Eng., Nov. 29.—A spirited defense of the government's charges of "squandermania," the popular term for official extravagance, is made by Capt. Frederick Guest, joint parliamentary secretary to the treasury.

Capt. Guest says he doesn't see where the government can cut down expenses. In a letter to a political correspondent published in the London Times he examines the expenses of the state.

The navy and army—personnel of the fighting services has been reduced actually in previous years. In 1914, however, the private soldiers received a shilling a day. He now gets two shillings and nine pence. There has been a corresponding increase in the pay of naval men. The result is that while the fighting services cost £12,000,000 in 1913-14, owing to these and other consequential increases, the figure is £20,000,000 today.

In 1914 the interest on the national debt was £2,000,000; today it is £25,000,000.

War pensions—in 1914-15 there were 10,000; today 1,000,000.

Education—in 1914-15 the cost £12,000,000; today £15,000,000.

Broad highways—This year it has cost £45,000,000.

Old age pensions—in 1914-15 there cost £12,000,000; today they cost £15,000,000.

Unemployment grants to ex-soldiers—£27,000,000.

Railways and housing subsidies—£12,000,000.

Then, Capt. Guest states, are the

**STOLEN BICYCLES RECOVERED.**  
Bicycles belonging to the Grandview drug company and to Charles McCord, stolen Saturday night were recovered Tuesday morning by J. E. Stone, police traffic sergeant, near Newman, where they had been abandoned by the thieves.

**COLLISION DAMAGES CAR.**  
Mrs. Florence Dwyer, 2220 Texas street, and D. G. Truett, of Fabens, were slightly bruised Monday afternoon when automobile driven by them collided on Alameda street. Both cars were damaged badly.

**TEST U. S. SHIPS ENGINES.**  
Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Tests to determine the relative value of turbo-electric and geared turbine drives as the future motive power of government merchant craft, are now in progress.

**Why Be Afraid of Good Food?**  
Eat What You Like Best But Follow It With a Stew's Dyspepsia Tablets.

When the stomach sour or becomes gray, with heartburn, it needs the alkaline effect to offset the acid condition. This you get from one or two Stew's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Relief is usually very prompt. The regular use of these tablets after meals gives the stomach and small intestine substantial help to digest food and you will then be bold enough to eat baked beans, fried eggs, sausage, hush puppies and many other things you thought would make your stomach miserable. Get a 40-cent box of Stew's Dyspepsia Tablets at any drug store and you will then eat whatever you like and be fortified against the sour stomach condition in indignation or dyspepsia.

**Japan Have New Gas Shell.**  
Tokyo, Japan, Nov. 29.—Successful tests have been completed of a new poison gas shell. This shell is of Japanese manufacture.

**Avoid trouble. Leave baggage checks at Longwell's, 1010 N. 10th St.**

**Hear Rate Arguments.**  
Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Argument in intra-state railroad rate cases affecting Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Nebraska, and Florida will be heard by the U. S. circuit court.

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## DRESSED BEEF JUDGED AT CHICAGO SHOW AS OBJECT LESSON FOR STOCK RAISERS

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 29.—While one of the most important purposes of the International Live Stock exposition which is being held here is to promote the breeding of live stock and consequently the production of better meat animals, even more important than that is the judging of meat itself, the result of better breeding and growing activities.

This judging of the carcass differs from the judging of the animal on the hoof in that it does not take into consideration the fine points of breeding, such as carriage and marketing or the quality of the hide or the worth of the other by products. It is strictly the judging of the meat on its merits as the raw product of meat.

## Patter and Chatter

By A. E. KIRK.  
**PRECIOUS POSSESSIONS.**

There are plenty of men who are strutting proudly with little cause for the pride they claim. There are plenty of men who are boasting loudly, when they ought to be hiding their heads in shame. There are men who are winning through speculation. Some are collecting and some pay toll. I feel like starting a celebration.

For I own an egg and a peck of coal.

**MIDAS, they tell us, was mighty wealthy.** Doubtless he had his moments of mirth. Some men are happy because they are healthy. Others have little but pride of birth.

I haven't seen failure—I am never near it. And perhaps I never shall reach my goal. But still I am claiming a joyful spirit. For I own an egg and a peck of coal.

**I HAVE claimed no fortune through profiteering.** I am not one of those who must earn their pay. I face no crowds who are gladly cheering. Because I own an election day. But I'm not disappointed nor grieved nor gloomy. No person rambles within my mind. A thrill of triumph is coursing through me. For I own an egg and a peck of coal.

**IT'S THE APPEARANCE THEY WANT.** A 60 year old woman says injections in her thyroid gland have caused her to feel like a girl of 17. Fewer women will cure to feel like it if they have to keep on looking like 50.

**A JOB FOR THE UNDESIRABLE ONLY.** Albania is anxious to take some suitable man to be her king. The principal trouble is that no suitable man has any desire to be a king.

**LAMES WITH FLEECES.** Bulgaria and Austria may be admitted to the two-tailed league of nations. They must have something that the league considers worth getting.

**IT'S TIME TO BE GOOD.** From school reports are brought to me that some boys are brought to me. My son is doing splendidly. He has become a studious boy. He has behind his class no more. When I command him to hear. He seemed a little deaf before. It's good that Christmas time is near.

## News Brevities

**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**  
(Advertisements.)

**Train Bulletin.**  
All afternoon and night trains were reported on time.

**Osteopath, Dr. Dewberry, Licensed in Medicine, 308 Mills Bldg. Tel. 4551.**

**Telluride Mines Close.**  
Telluride, Colo., Nov. 29.—The Telluride properties of the Pittman-Wagner Mining company, including the Alta mine and mill, have closed down for an indefinite period.

**Dr. Hugh M. Shannon, late of the United States Army, announces the opening of offices at 420-11-12 Two Republic Bldg. Telephone 1544.**

**Germany Recognizes Mexico.**  
San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 29.—Germany has officially recognized the De la Huerta government of Mexico, according to a dispatch printed in La Prensa, a Spanish language newspaper printed here.

**Dr. H. W. Hartman, 224 Roberts-Banner Bldg. Office Ph. 735; Res. Ph. 6148.**

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## Escaped an Operation

There is nothing in the world a woman so much fears as a surgical operation. Often they are necessary, but often not; and many have been avoided by the timely use of that good old-fashioned root and herb remedy Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you are suffering from some dread ailment peculiar to your sex, why not profit by the experience of these two women whose letters follow?

### These Two Women Saved from Operations.

**Cedar Rapids, Ia.**—"After the birth of my last child I had such painful spells they would unfit me entirely for my household. I suffered for months and the doctor said that my trouble was organic ulcers and I would have to have an operation. That was an awful thing to me, with a young baby and four other children, so one day I thought of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I decided to try it again. I took five bottles of Vegetable Compound and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and since then I have been a well woman, able to take care of my house and family without any trouble or a day's pain. I am really and truly thankful to your medicine any time. I am forty-four years old and have not had a day's illness of any kind for three years."

**Mrs. H. Kozzo, 617 Ellis Blvd., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.**

**Sandusky, Ohio.**—"After the birth of my baby I had organic trouble. My doctor said it was caused by too heavy lifting and I would have to have an operation and let it go for over a year, having my sister do my work for me as I was not able to walk. One day my aunt came to see me and told me about your medicine—said it cured her of the same thing. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and they have cured me. Now I do my own housework, washing and ironing and sewing for my family and also do sewing for other people. I still take a bottle of Vegetable Compound every spring for a tonic. I recommend your medicine to others who have troubles similar to mine and you can use my letter if you wish."

**Mrs. Paul Parkerson, 1325 Stone St., Sandusky, Ohio.**

Thousands of Such Letters Prove the Curative Value of

**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**  
LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., LYNN, MASS.

## Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK.

**PA TOOK MA & I to a movie picture last night. The picture was about a girl named Laska. I guess because she came from Alaska, or else she wouldn't have such a punk name.**

The picture was about the plains & desert, not the desert we do have here. When the picture first came on the screen, I showed the picture to Pa and Ma. He said that brings back my wild past.

He said, and Ma, or sum of the people sitting around here will think you really were wild and Ma.

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**Secrets**  
Many secrets you will find revealed in the great box of **Nadine Face Powder**. They are secrets which every woman would solve—secrets of personal charm. The secret of a rose-petal complexion—NADINE'S gift to womanhood. The secret of lasting charm—charm which endures throughout the day. The secret of skin-comfort—skin that never a hint of harm. To you, as to a million others, NADINE will reveal these intimate secrets. You can possess NADINE from your favorite retail dealer or by mail—free. NATIONAL TOILET CO., Patk, Tenn., U. S. A.

## "Gets-It" Wonder Corn Peeler

Just as Good for Calluses. Money Back if it Fails.

Don't be lousy through life by a peasy corn or callus. Don't let a corn tell you what to do. Don't wear shoes too large for you because a corn says you must. Get rid of the darned thing.



"Peel the Whole Corn Right Off and be Rid of It."

It's a revelation. No corn sufferer, the wonderful way that "Gets-It" handles corns. Need two minutes—that's all—to apply 1 or 2 drops to rid you of corns. The pain will stop instantly. In a few seconds the corn dries right up. Soon it has loosened so you can peel it off in one complete piece, root and all.

"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists; money back on request, cents but a trifle. Sent by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago—adv.

## SNIFLES, SNEEZES, HOARSE WHEEZES

Banish them all, by using Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

**Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey** is a remedy that has for years stood by thousands of cold and cough sufferers, men, women, and children in helping to promptly and effectively relieve these dangerous attacks. Severe colds or colds newly contracted are banished by its pleasant balsamic and healing ingredients. Phlegm is soon loosened, irritation eased, inflammation allayed, breathing made less difficult. Keep a bottle on hand as a safeguard against sudden colds.

You can give the children Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, too. Safe and economical. Get a bottle today from any druggist. 30c., 60c., \$1.20.

## Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey for Coughs and Colds

For Refreshing Sleep, Free from the worry of colds, use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Good for everyone, people free and what other people use. Any druggist.

## Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment

## A Beautiful Complexion & Admiration

Ladies—A few days' treatment with CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will do more to clean up the skin than all the beauty treatments in the world.

An imperfect complexion is caused by a sluggish liver. Millions of people, old, young and middle-aged, take them for Biliousness, Dizziness, Sick Headache, Ulcer, Stomach and Bowel Trouble, and many other ailments. They find the remedy of Constipation.

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**Invigoration and satisfaction in every cup of INSTANT POSTUM**  
make it the ideal drink for those who want to live well and sleep well.

## Adclub Rountable Is Feature For Friday

An old fashioned rountable in which every member will be expected to take part will feature the weekly meeting of the Adclub next Friday noon at the chamber of commerce.

Some ten by truths are to be talked about right out in meeting, A. M. Lockhart, president, announced in his notice mailed Tuesday. Another feature in it is the presence of many prominent scientists who will be in the city at that time.

**35,000 RUBLES FOR SOCKS.**  
Washington, Nov. 29.—Bills of 35,000 rubles received by the department of commerce from Admiral McCall at St. Petersburg, Oct. 28, declared that 15,000 Russian rubles can be purchased for 35 cents, which is the price demanded for a pair of cotton socks.